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PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2871

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akihiro MURATA

Group Art Unit: 2871

Application No.: 09/834,614

Examiner:

G. Wang

Filed: April 16, 2001

Docket No.: 109278

For:

THREE-DIMENSIONAL MOUNTED ASSEMBLY AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION

DEVICE (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 27, 2004, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.